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The following is a list of documents enclosed:

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Sir:

The Office Action, Paper No. 08312004, from Examiner Sameh Tawfik of Art Unit 3721, mailed September 13, 2004, has been received and carefully reviewed. This Response is submitted within two (2) months of the mailing date of the Office Action. No new matter is believed introduced by the present Response and Amendment.